

In re Application of: Adelberg, et al.

Serial No: 10/809,187

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Confirmation No: 6008

Title: Intermittent Immersion Vessel Apparatus And Process  
For Plant Propagation



Group Art Unit: 1744

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Fee requirements (if any) have been calculated as shown below:

|                        | Claims<br>remaining<br>after<br>amendment |       | Highest<br>number<br>previously<br>paid for |   | Present<br>Extra |          | Additional<br>Fee |
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| Independent Claims | 5 | minus | 7 | = | 0 | x \$200 = | \$ .00 |
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 22, 2005, and prior to action on the merits please find attached hereto:

**Amendments to the Claims** beginning on page 2 of this paper, and  
**Remarks**, beginning on page 6 of this paper.